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1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of the Fdit Pull Start Starter Assembly. This accessory is designed as a replacement part for Husqvarna chainsaw models 235, 236, and 240. Please read this manual thoroughly before attempting any installation or operation to ensure proper function and safety.



Image 1.1: The Fedit Pull Start Starter Assembly shown alongside a Husqvarna chainsaw during use. This image illustrates the product in its operational context.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize safety when working with power tools and replacement parts. Failure to follow safety guidelines can result in serious injury or damage to equipment.

- **Read the Chainsaw Manual:** Refer to your chainsaw's original instruction manual for specific safety procedures and warnings.
- **Wear Protective Gear:** Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), including safety glasses, gloves, and hearing protection, when handling chainsaw parts or operating a chainsaw.
- **Disconnect Spark Plug:** Before performing any maintenance or installation, ensure the chainsaw engine is off and the spark plug wire is disconnected to prevent accidental starting.
- **Use Correct Tools:** Use only the recommended tools for installation and removal of parts.
- **Work in a Safe Environment:** Perform work in a well-lit, stable area, free from distractions.
- **Inspect Parts:** Before installation, inspect the new pull start assembly for any signs of damage or defects.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present and undamaged upon opening the package.

- 1 x Fdit Pull Start Starter Assembly (complete unit with housing, recoil spring, rope, and handle)



Image 3.1: A detailed top view of the Fdit Pull Start Starter Assembly, showing the outer casing and pull handle.

4. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Fdit
Model Number	Fditeqtc3snvaw
Compatibility	Husqvarna Chainsaw Models 235, 236, 240
Power Source	Manual
Item Weight	8.4 ounces (approximately 0.24 Kilograms)
Material	High hardness material (as per product description)

5. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps carefully to replace the pull start starter assembly on your Husqvarna chainsaw. Ensure the chainsaw is turned off and the spark plug wire is disconnected before beginning.

- 1. Prepare the Chainsaw:** Place the chainsaw on a stable, flat surface. Ensure the engine is cool and the spark plug wire is disconnected to prevent accidental starting.
- 2. Remove Old Assembly:** Locate the existing pull start starter assembly on your chainsaw. Typically, it is secured by several screws. Use an appropriate screwdriver or wrench to carefully remove these screws. Once all fasteners are removed, gently lift off the old assembly.
- 3. Inspect Mounting Area:** Clean any debris, sawdust, or dirt from the mounting area on the chainsaw engine. Ensure the surface is clear for the new assembly.
- 4. Position New Assembly:** Take the new Fdit Pull Start Starter Assembly. Align the mounting holes on the new assembly with the corresponding holes on the chainsaw engine. Ensure the recoil mechanism is properly seated and the starter pawls (if visible) are correctly positioned to engage with the flywheel.



Image 5.1: An internal view of the starter assembly, highlighting the recoil spring and pulley system. This shows the mechanism responsible for retracting the pull cord.

- 5. Secure the Assembly:** Insert the screws removed in Step 2 into the mounting holes. Tighten them securely, but do not overtighten, as this can strip threads or crack the plastic housing. Ensure the assembly is flush against the

engine casing.



Image 5.2: The Fedit Pull Start Starter Assembly with the pull handle and rope visible, demonstrating the complete recoil system.

6. **Test Functionality:** Gently pull the starter cord a few times to ensure it extends and retracts smoothly without binding. The starter pawls should engage the flywheel when pulled and disengage when released.
7. **Reconnect Spark Plug:** Once satisfied with the installation, reconnect the spark plug wire.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

After successful installation, operate the pull start assembly according to your chainsaw's standard starting procedure.

- **Chainsaw Preparation:** Ensure the chainsaw is on a stable surface, the chain brake is engaged, and the fuel tank is adequately filled.
- **Choke and Primer:** Follow your chainsaw's specific instructions for setting the choke and priming the engine (if applicable).
- **Pulling the Cord:** Grip the pull start handle firmly. Pull the cord slowly until you feel resistance, then give a quick, strong pull. Do not pull the cord to its full extension or let it snap back. Guide the cord back into the housing.
- **Starting the Engine:** Repeat the pulling action until the engine starts. Adjust the choke as necessary once the engine fires.

7. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance helps ensure the longevity and reliable performance of your pull start assembly.

- **Keep Clean:** Periodically clean the exterior of the pull start assembly to remove sawdust, dirt, and debris. This prevents foreign material from entering the recoil mechanism.
- **Inspect Cord:** Regularly check the starter cord for fraying, cuts, or excessive wear. Replace the cord if any damage is observed.
- **Inspect Recoil Spring:** If the cord does not retract properly, the recoil spring may be damaged or require lubrication. This typically requires disassembly by a qualified technician.
- **Avoid Snapping:** Do not allow the starter cord to snap back into the housing. Always guide it gently to prevent damage to the recoil spring and housing.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Starter cord does not retract fully.	Recoil spring is weak, broken, or tangled. Debris inside the housing.	Clean the housing. If the spring is damaged, the assembly may need replacement or professional repair.
Starter cord pulls out but does not engage the engine.	Starter pawls are stuck, worn, or broken. Flywheel engagement mechanism is dirty.	Inspect pawls for damage or obstruction. Clean the flywheel engagement area. If pawls are worn, replace the assembly.
Engine does not start after multiple pulls.	Not directly related to the pull start assembly, but common starting issues.	Check fuel level, spark plug condition, air filter, and choke settings. Refer to your chainsaw's manual for engine-specific troubleshooting.
Assembly does not fit correctly during installation.	Incorrect model compatibility or manufacturing variance.	Double-check chainsaw model numbers (235, 236, 240). Ensure proper alignment. Do not force the part. If fitment issues persist, contact customer support.

9. WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For any questions, concerns, or issues regarding your Fdit Pull Start Starter Assembly, please contact the manufacturer or your point of purchase. While specific warranty details are not provided in this manual, most products come with a standard manufacturer's warranty against defects in materials and workmanship.

When contacting support, please have your product model number (Fditeqtc3snvaw) and purchase information readily available.